Electroweak and Top Physics at High Energies

Results from Tevatron and Hera with predictions for LHC on behalf of















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Hadron Colliders

Hera, Desy



- 319 GeV proton electron collider
- Run 1992-2007
- Accumulated luminosity ~200 pb⁻¹ in e⁻p and ~300 pb⁻¹ in e ⁺p

Some results

Tevatron, Fermilab



- 1.96 TeV p-anti p collider
- Run II started in 2002
- Has delivered ~7 fb⁻¹ of data since 2002, and running smoothly: expect ~12 fb⁻¹ by end of 2011

Most of the results

LHC, Cern

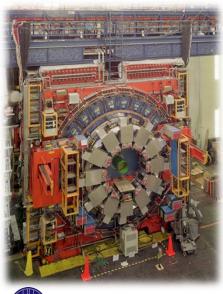


- ≤ 14 TeV p-p collisions
- Expect to turn on late 2009 at 7 TeV
- Expect up to 200 pb⁻¹ in the early run

Some prospects

Detecting High-Energy Hadron Collisions



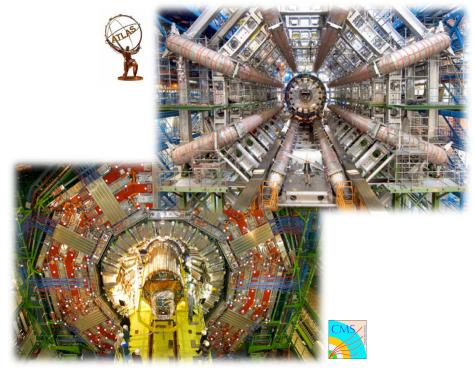








- Inner trackers
- Calorimeters
- Outer muon detectors
- Most measurements in the transverse plane: E_T, P_T, missing E_T









Outline of this Talk

Establishing Electroweak and Top quark signatures

- W and Z bosons
- Diboson
- Top quark pairs
- Single top quark

Standard model constrains using precision measurements

- W boson mass and top quark mass
- Electroweak fit and predictions for Higgs boson

Top quark physics

- Measurements of properties
- Searches beyond the standard model

Establishing Signatures

W and Z bosons

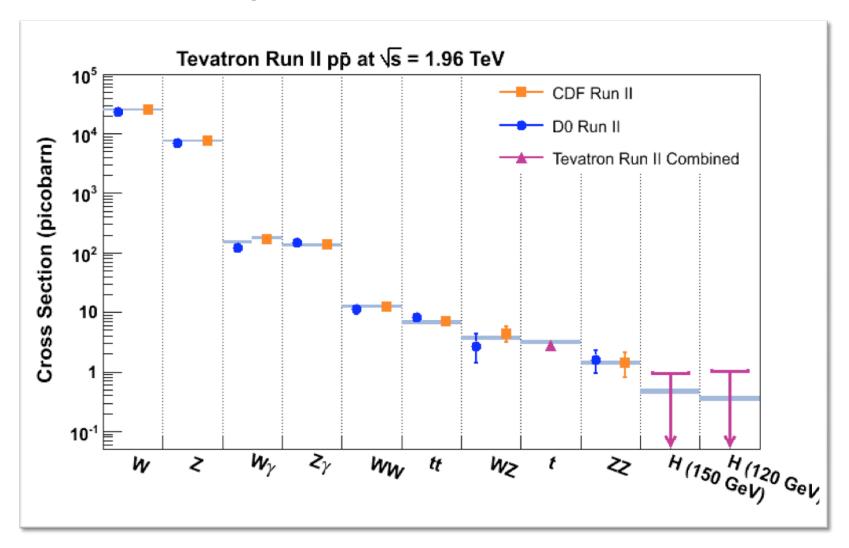
Diboson

Top quark pairs

Single top quark

Electroweak and Top Samples

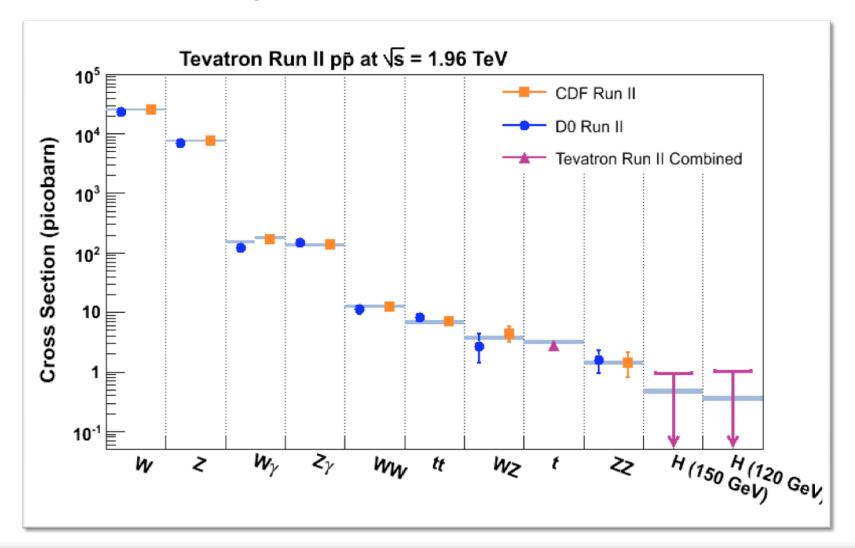
Span over a wide range of cross sections



• Until the past year only cleaner channels were observed: small background, lower statistics $w_{\gamma} \rightarrow |v_{\gamma}| v_{\gamma} + |v_{\gamma}$

Electroweak and Top Samples

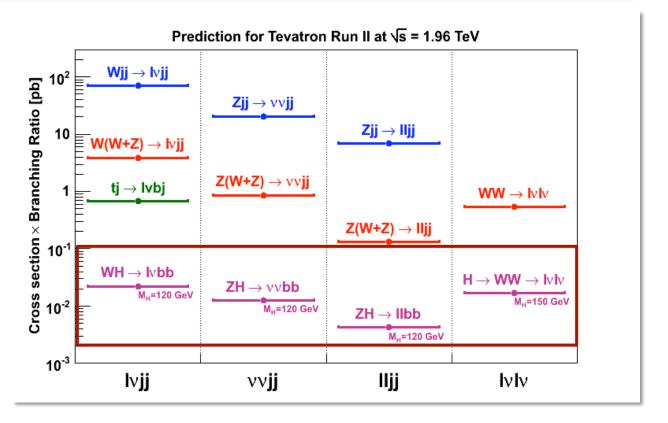
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New this year: more data + the difficult channels, large backgrounds, no easy kinematic handles $z_{\gamma} \rightarrow_{\nu\nu\gamma} ww \rightarrow l\nu jj wz \rightarrow l\nu jj zz \rightarrow \nu\nu jj Single top \rightarrow l\nu jj$

Electroweak and Top Quark Physics

- Difficult signatures are interesting because they are backgrounds in Higgs boson searches
- Establishing processes in different channels
 - Allow us to Combine to improve precision
 - Gives us Confidence in different modeling and techniques
 - EstablishesConsistency among channels



- In general, measuring cross sections:
 - Could point out to new physics through deviations form the standard model
 - Establishes samples for making other measurements possible

Measurement Techniques

More sophisticated methods are used as the experimental challenges increase (i.e., small S/B, signal and background kinematically similar)

Counting events

Establish selection, estimate expected background



Find number of data events



Subtract expected background data from data events

Templates/Likelihood

Reconstruct the best discriminating variable X (ex. an invariant mass)



Form signal and background templates of X



Perform a maximum likelihood fit between data and templates

Matrix Element

Form per-event probability using matrix elements



Evaluate the probability of each event for signal and background hypotheses



Use probability into one likelihood (discriminant type or as a function of a parameter)

Neural Networks, Boosted Decision Trees



Find good discriminating variables (well modeled in MC)



Input variables from MC to train a multivariate package



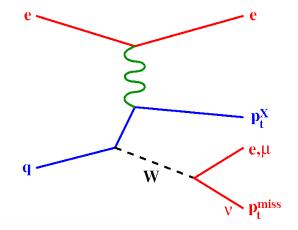
Use output as a discriminant, likelihood fit between data and MC

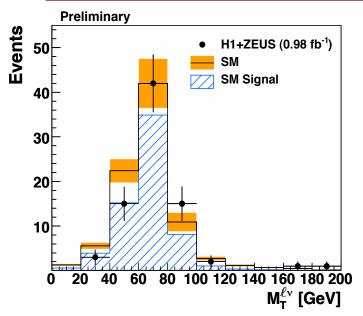
W at Hera

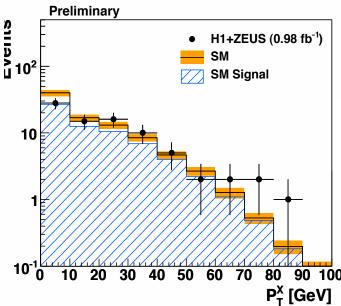
- Standard model prediction for W production at HERA ep→eW[±]X
- Striking signature: $\ell = e, \mu$ and ν in the same event, with high p_{τ}
- Could be a signature for new physics
- Previously H1 reported an excess at high p_T^X
- Good agreement found, no excess observed



SM prediction $\sigma = 1.26 \pm 0.19 \text{ pb}$







At large p_T^X>25

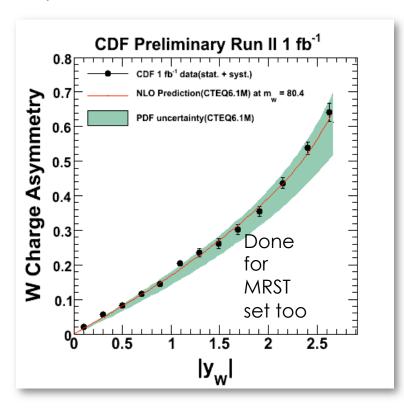
GeV:

e⁺p: 23 / 14.0 ± 1.9

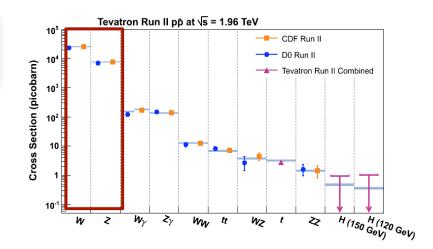
 e^-p : 6 / 10.0 ± 1.3

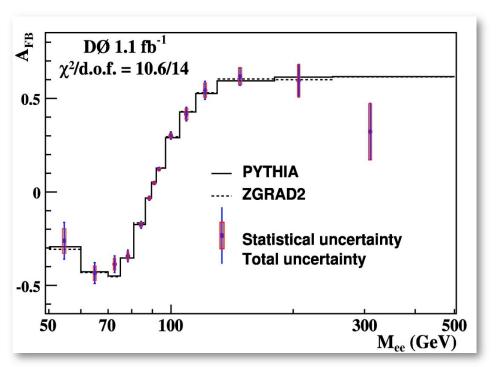
W and Z

 W production charge asymmetry expected to constrain PDFs



- Forward-backward asymmetry measured in Z/γ*→ e⁺e⁻
 - With 8 fb⁻¹ Tevatron can reach a precision comparable to the world average





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D0 (1.1 fb<sup>-1</sup>):
sin<sup>2</sup>θ<sub>w</sub>=0.2326±0.0018(stat)±0.006(syst)
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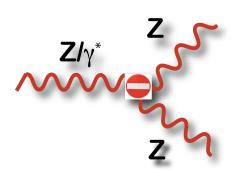
ZY

- Observed at the Tevatron with ~3% precision in the Zγ→IIγ channel consistent with SM
- First measurement using Z→vv decay

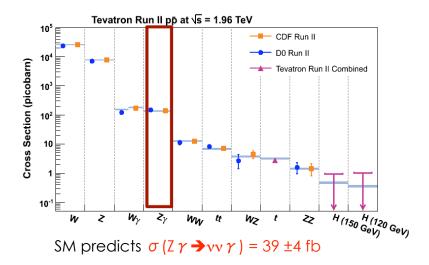
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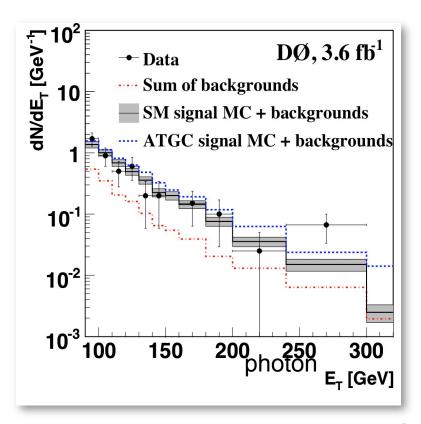
$$\sigma(Z \gamma \rightarrow vv \gamma) = 32 \pm 9(stat+syst) \pm 2(lumi)$$
 fb

- First observation, 5.1 σ significance
- A new channel to test non-abelian electroweak structure in detail



Limits on anomalous triple gauge couplings (aTGC) combining with ZY→IIY to produce some of the most stringent limits on neutral aTGC





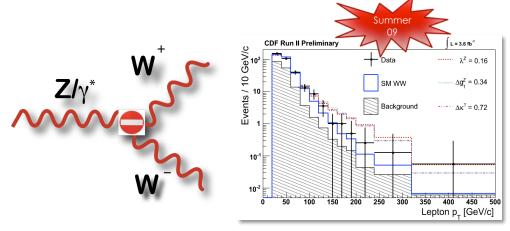
WW

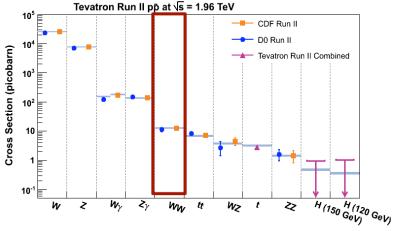
- Measured in WW→ $|\nu|\nu$, offers a clean and relatively high statistics final state
- A good understanding and modeling of WW production is essential to any H→WW search

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CDF (3.6 fb<sup>-1</sup>):

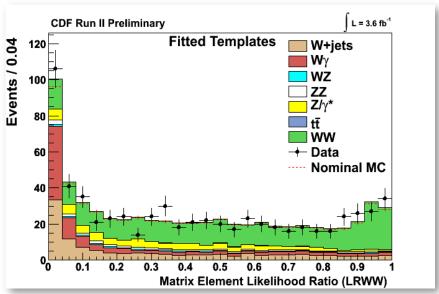
\sigma (WW) =12.1 ± 0.9(stat) ± 1.6<sub>1.4</sub>(syst) pb
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- D0 (1 fb⁻¹) measures
 σ (WW)=11.5±2.1(stat)±0.7(syst) pb
- D0 and CDF use lepton p_T to set limits on charged aTGC





SM predicts $\sigma(pp \rightarrow WW) = 12.4 \pm 0.8 \text{ pb}$



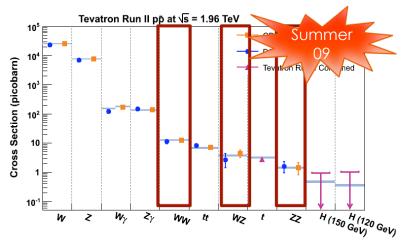
Use a matrix element likelihood method to assign probability to signal/ background based on event kinematics

WW/WZ/ZZ

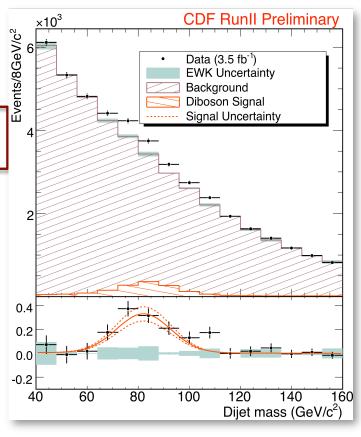
- Search for VV (V=W,Z) where one boson decays hadronically
 - Signal / Background ~ 3%
 - EWK background: V+jets + top (~85%)
 - QCD background: instrumental (~15%)
 - No charged lepton requirement
 - Includes ν ν qq' as well as $|\nu$ qq' final states

CDF (3.5 fb⁻¹): σ (WW/WZ/ZZ) =18.0 ± 2.8(stat) ± 2.6(syst) pb

• First observation of diboson with hadronic decays, 5.3σ significance



SM predicts σ (pp \rightarrow WW+WZ+WZ) = 16.8 \pm 0.5 pb



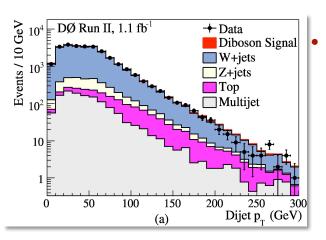
Fit invariant dijet mass in the event

WW/WZ

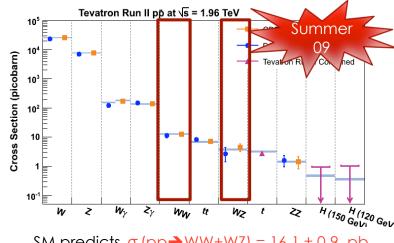
- WW/WZ \rightarrow I ν jj where we require a lepton is the main background in WH and ZH searches
 - Different composition than previous analysis: overlap is ~20 %
- WW and WZ are experimentally hard to distinguish in hadronic channels

CDF (2.7 fb⁻¹):
$$\sigma$$
 (WW/WZ) =17.7 ± 3.9(stat) ± $^{1.6}_{1.4}$ (syst) pb

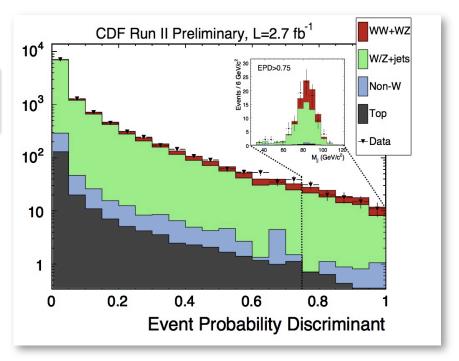
- First observation, 5.4 σ significance
- Evidence presented by D0 (1 fb⁻¹) σ (WW+WZ)=20.2 ± 4.5 pb



First aTGC limits in this channel



SM predicts $\sigma(pp \rightarrow WW+WZ) = 16.1 \pm 0.9 pb$

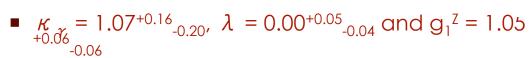


Discriminant based on probabilities built using matrix elements for signal and backgrounds

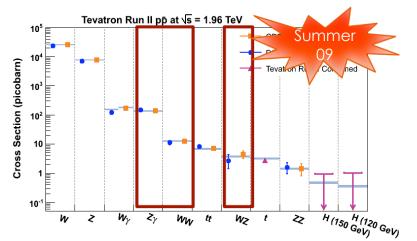
TGC Summary

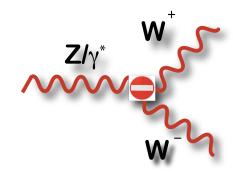
- Charged TGC: D0 combines limits
 using up to 1 fb⁻¹ of data
 - WW/WZ \rightarrow | ν jj, WW \rightarrow | ν | ν , WZ \rightarrow | ν |,

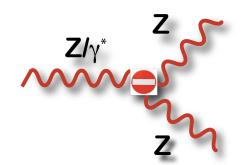
 $WY \rightarrow | \nu \Upsilon$



- Results close to LEP2 individual results in λ ; $2x g_1^{Z}$; $2-3x \Delta \kappa^{\gamma}$
- A combination with CDF results and 5 fb⁻¹ of data will reduce the statistical uncertainty by a factor of 3, comparable or better results to LEP combined
- W boson magnetic dipole moment $\mu_W = 2.02^{+0.08}$ -0.09(e/2M_W)
- Electric quadrupole moment $q_W = -1.00 \pm 0.09$ (e/ M_W^2)
- Neutral TGC: D0's best limits in
 - $|h_{30}^{\gamma}| < 0.033$, $|h_{40}^{\gamma}| < 0.0017$ and $|h_{30}^{\gamma}| < 0.033$, $|h_{40}^{\gamma}| < 0.0017$





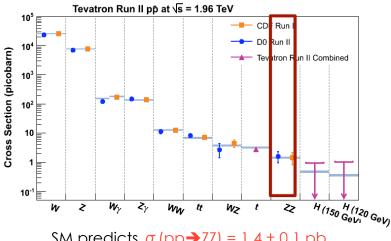


ZZ

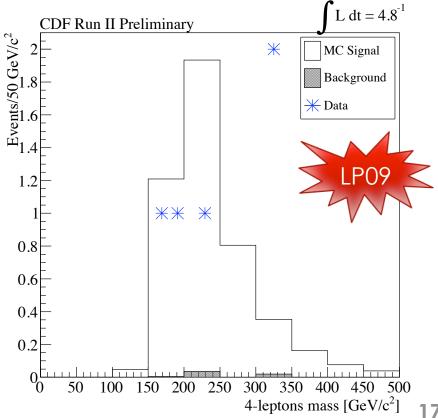
- Smallest cross section of SM diboson states
- ZZ→IIII striking signature!
 - lacktriangle First observation by D0 , 5.3 σ significance

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CDF (4.8 fb<sup>-1</sup>):
\sigma (ZZ) =1.56 +0.80 <sub>-0.63</sub> (stat.) ± 0.25 (syst.) pb
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- 5.7 sigma significance
- ZZ→Iljj or ZZ→vvjj mode not observed yet at the Tevatron
 - Important benchmark for Higgs searches (ZH)



SM predicts $\sigma(pp \rightarrow ZZ) = 1.4 \pm 0.1 pb$



W, Z, and Dibosons at the LHC

W, Z

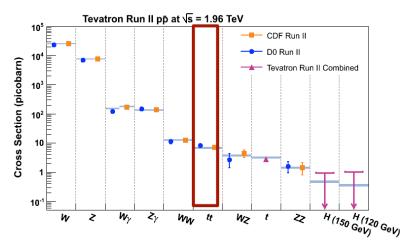
- LHC experiments expected to have much higher cross section
 - ~2 million Z→ II in the first fb-1
 - Tevatron now has reconstructed up to 1.6 million Z→II
 - With a 100 fb⁻¹ expect sin²θ_w competitive result to current world average

Dibosons

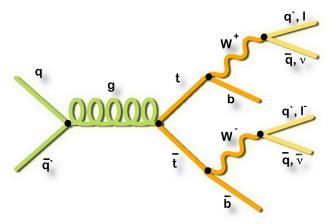
- LHC experiments have 10 times the Tevatron cross section
- In 10 fb⁻¹ of data -> factor of 100 in statistics and 10 in sensitivity relative to current TGC Tevatron
- 200 fully reconstructed ZZ events in first 10 fb-1!!

Top Quark Pairs

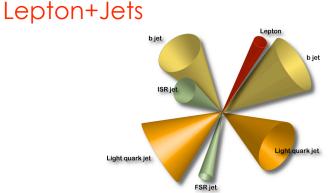
- QCD pair production is the dominant source of top quarks for study
- Cross section measurement tests perturbative QCD at a higher energy scale
 - Surprisingly large mass, m_t~175 GeV!
- Produced via QCD through qq or gg and decays via EWK, BR(t→Wb)~100%
- Striking signature defined by the decay of the W boson:



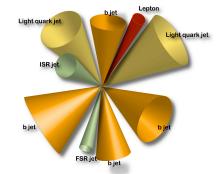
SM predicts ($m_t=172.5 \text{ GeV}$): σ (NLO) = $7.4^{+0.5}_{-0.7} \text{ pb}$



Dilepton Lepton Lepton Lepton Lepton Lepton Diet bjet







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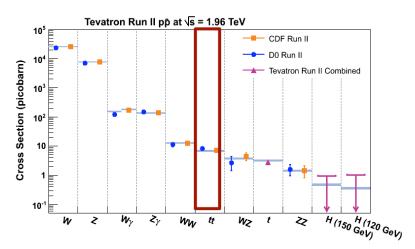
- Dilepton (lepton = e or μ) (7%):
 - Small rate, small backgrounds
 - Main background: Drell-Yan



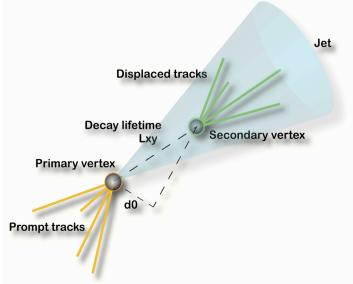
- Taus (hadronic decay +lepton/jets) (15%):
 - Small rate, large backgrounds
 - Main backgrounds: multijet and W+jets
- Lepton+Jets (lepton = e or µ) (34%):
 - Good rate and manageable backgrounds
 - Main background: W+jets

- All-hadronic (44%):
 - Large rate, large background
 - Main background: multijet





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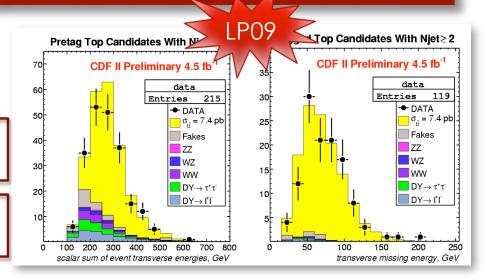
Can identify b-quarks through secondary vertex to reduce backgrounds (non-W without bottom/charm, W+light flavor jets)

Top Quark Pairs: Dilepton and All-Hadronic

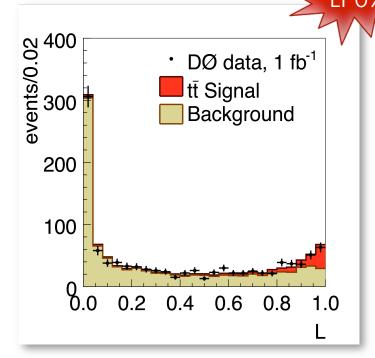
 Measure cross section in a tagged and pre-tagged dilepton sample
 good test of signal model

CDF (4.5 fb⁻¹, m_t= 172.5 GeV), b-tagged: σ_{tt} (dil)=7.3±0.7(stat)±0.4(syst)±0.4(lumi)pb

CDF (4.5 fb⁻¹, m_t= 172.5 GeV), pre-tagged, : $\sigma_{\rm tt}$ (dil)=6.6±0.6(stat)±0.4(syst)±0.4(lumi) pb



Consistent results



- Measure cross section in a background dominated sample
- Background is hard to model
 - Poorly known cross sections
 - Data driven background model
- Train NN on signal and background to purify the sample

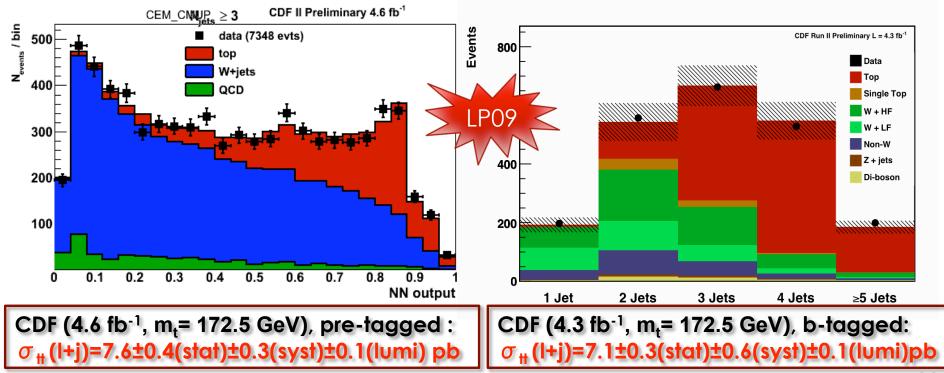
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CDF (2.9 fb<sup>-1</sup>, m<sub>t</sub>= 172.5 GeV): \sigma_{\rm ft} (all-had)=7.2±0.5(stat) ±1.5(syst)±0.4(lumi)pb D0 (1 fb<sup>-1</sup>, m<sub>t</sub>= 175 GeV): \sigma_{\rm ft} (all-had)=6.9 ±1.3(stat)±1.4(sys)±0.4(lumi)pb
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Top Quark Pairs: Lepton+Jets

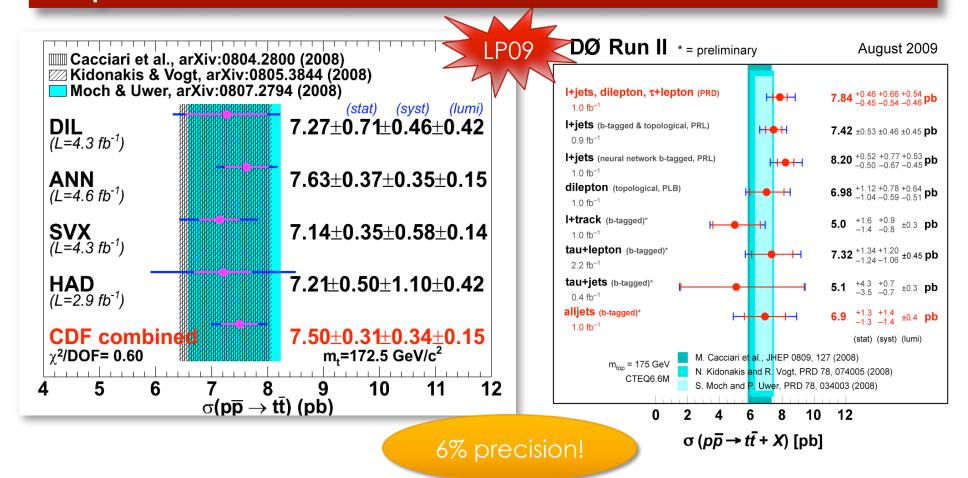
- Two different methods with very different S:B
 - pre-tagged: topological separation of signal and background via neural net
 - b-tagged: counting experiment
- Luminosity is the largest uncertainty in both measurements
 - Reduce by normalizing to the measured Z cross section

$$\sigma_{t\bar{t}} = R \bullet \sigma_Z^{theory}$$

Measure R and multiply by Z cross section from theory



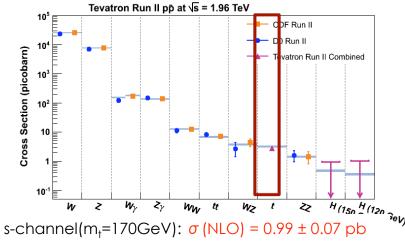
Top Quark Pairs: Combination



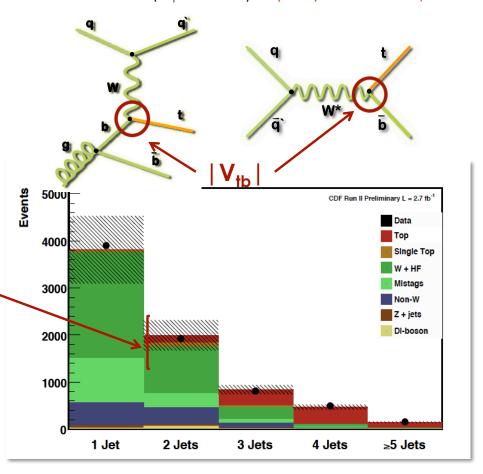
- Most CDF measurements with more than 4 fb-1!
- Measurements in all channels
- All channels are consistent with each other and with theory
- Different methods to measure σ_{tt} produce consistent results
- Tevatron combination underway

Single Top Quark

- Electroweak production of single top quark
- Predicted in ~1985
 - t-channel: Willenbrock and Dicus, PRD 34, 155 (1986)
 - s-channel: Cortese and Petronzio, PLB 253, 494 (1991)
- Observed in 2009: 14 years after the top quark discovery!
- Not an easy measurement!
 - Small cross section
 - Large backgrounds with large uncertainties
- Allows measurement of CKM matrix element | V_{tb} |



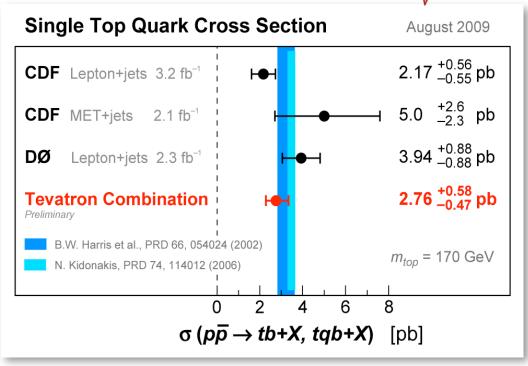
t-channel(m₊=170GeV): σ (NLO) = 2.15 ± 0.24 pb

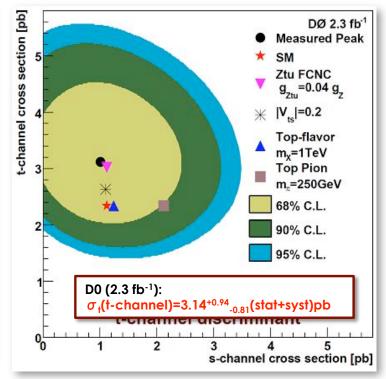


Single Top Quark: Tevatron Combination

- In March 2009 the Tevatron experiments reported observation of with about 5σ significance (to be published in PRL this week)
- CDF and D0 combined their results using a Bayesian approach:

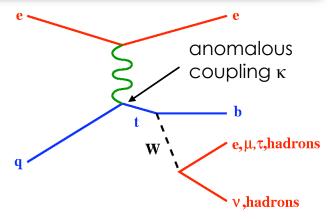


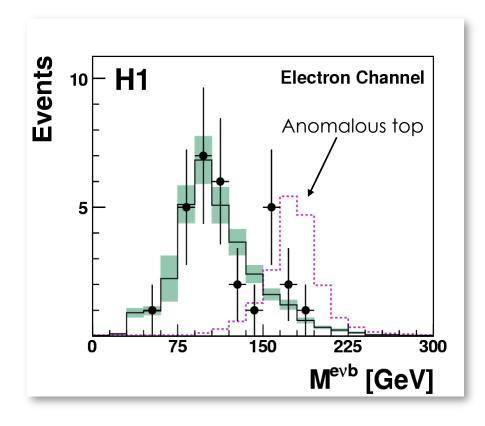


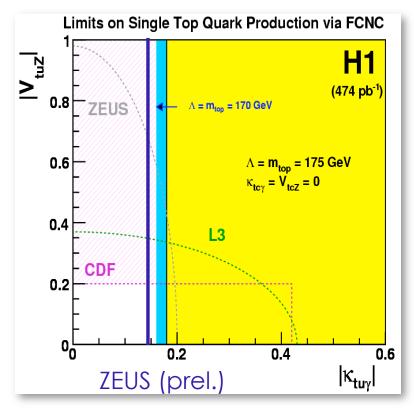


Single Top Quark at Hera

- Search for single top in the e, u and hadronic W decay
- Standard model single top is strongly suppressed
- Upper limit on single top production via FCNC process σ (ep→etX) and limits on the anomalous couplings κ

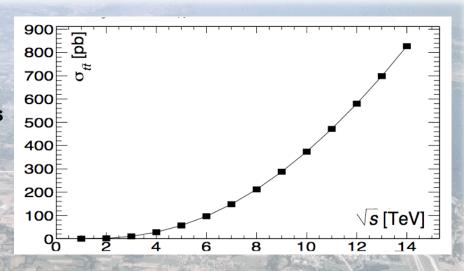






Top Pairs and Single Top at the LHC

- Top quark pairs will be produced mainly by gg fusion in contrast with the Tevatron
 - With 20pb⁻¹ and 10 TeV in muon+jets channel 6% (stat)±30%(syst)±10% (lumi) (CMS)
 - Long run expect to reach comparable precision or better than the Tevatron
- Important calibration tools for b-tagging algorithms and jet energy scale corrections and systematic uncertainties
- Given the richness of the top signatures "when top measured, experiment is ready for discovery phase" from K. Jon-And's talk



- Single top quarks production channels will include associated production (Wt) and not very sensitive to s-channel
 - Precision measurements of properties of top in electroweak produced top quarks will be possible

Precision Measurements

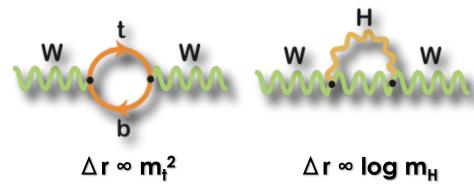
W boson mass

Top quark mass

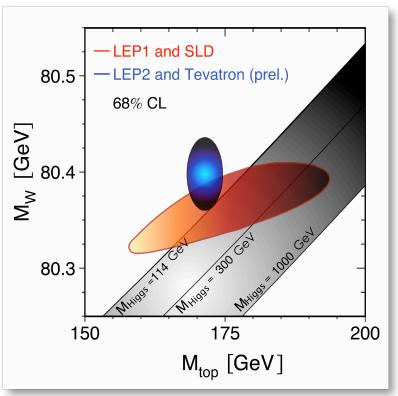
Predictions for Higgs boson mass

W Boson, Top Quark, and Higgs Boson

 Measuring the W boson mass and top quark mass precisely allows for prediction of the mass of the Higgs boson



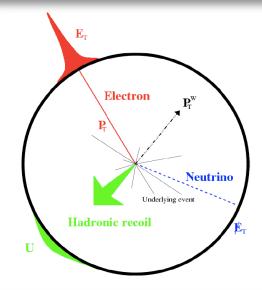
- Constraint on Higgs can point to physics beyond the standard model
- Constrains the Higgs mass now, precision check of the EW theory after/if Higgs is found

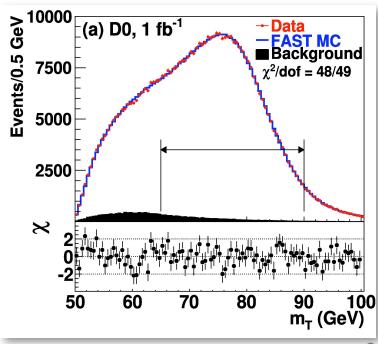


W Boson Mass: Most Precise Result

- At hadron colliders, rely on transverse variables: m_T p_T^e, missing E_T = inferred neutrino p_T^v
 - m_T most accurate
 - Requires precise measure of charged lepton p_T and hadronic recoil
- Use well-measured resonances to calibrate Z boson, J/ψ , Υ
 - Requires detailed knowledge of detectors
- Perform fits to templates generated from calibrated simulation by varying m_w
- Measurement in the electron channel combining 3 fits: m_T, p_T and missing E_T

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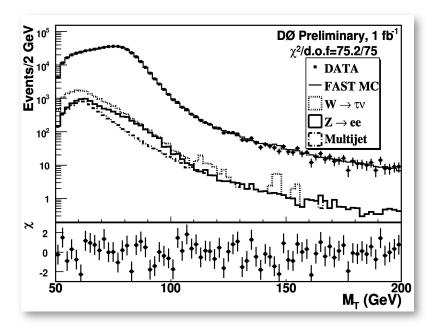
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Using similar techniques and dataset, D0 measures W top width by fitting m_T tail





W Boson Mass: Future Precision

 Limited by the size of the Z sample. Will improve with more data

 Tevatron measurements improving the precision of parton distributions functions (ex. W charge asymmetry previously shown)

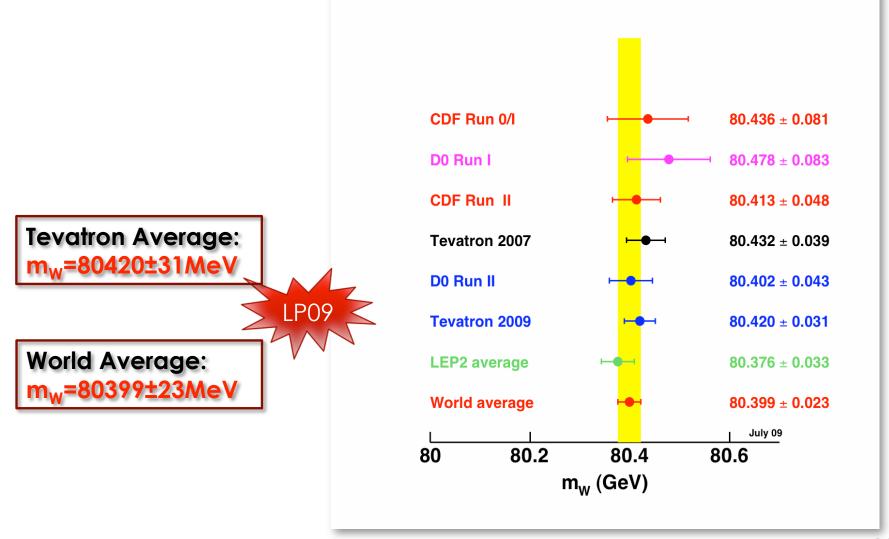
Tevatron goal is 25 MeV per experiment

D0 m_w Systematic Uncertainties (1 fb⁻¹)

Systematic Source	δm _w (MeV)
Electron energy scale	34
Electron energy resolution model	2
Electron energy nonlinearity	4
W and Z electron energy loss differences	4
Recoil model	6
Electron efficiencies	5
Backgrounds	2
PDF	9
QED	7
Boson p _T	2
Total	37

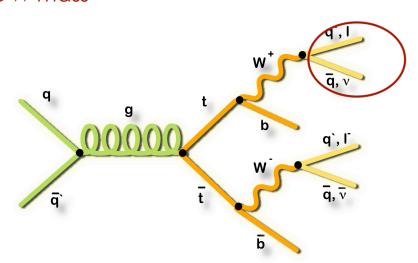
W Boson Mass: Tevatron Combination

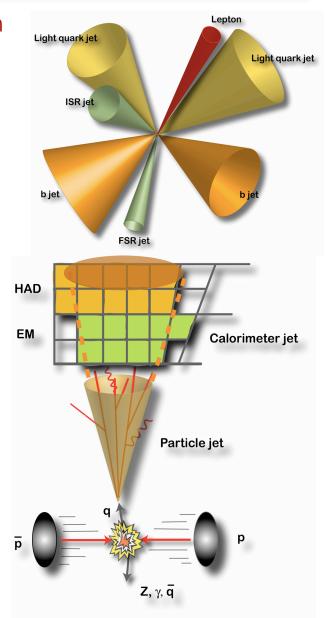
■ Combine previous results, including CDF Run II measurement using 200 pb⁻¹: $m_W = 80413\pm34(stat)\pm34(syst)MeV$



Top Quark Mass

- Measurements in the 3 channels: dilepton, lepton +jets, all-hadronic
- Different difficulties than in W mass measurement
 - Can only measure jets resulting from quarks
 - Jet-parton assignment
 - QCD radiation
- Jet energy scale (JES) uncertainty dominates [~3%]
 - Can be reduced via in situ measurement from hadronic W mass

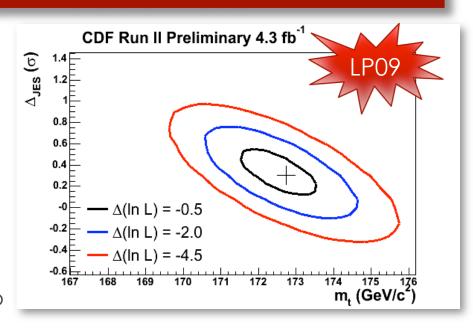




Top Quark Mass: Most Precise Result

Lepton + Jets and All-hadronic channels

- Fully reconstructable final state
 - Reduce jet combinatorics and background by requiring ≥1 b-tag
- Matrix element or reconstructed m_t technique for probabilities
 - In situ JES calibration
 - Form 2D likelihood as function of top mass and shift in JES error
- Complementary techniques independent of JES
 - Lxy, lepton p_T

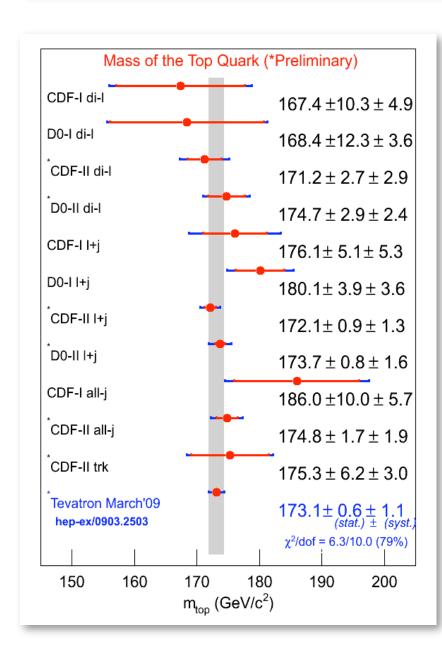


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CDF (4.3 fb<sup>-1</sup>):
m<sub>t</sub>(l+j)=172.6±0.9(stat)±0.7(JES) ±1.1(syst)GeV
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Dilepton channel

- Two neutrinos result in kinematically underconstrained system
- Requires integration over at least one variable
- Can't constrain JES
- Matrix element or templates integrating over one variable

Top Quark Mass: Tevatron Combination



Tevatron (Winter 09):

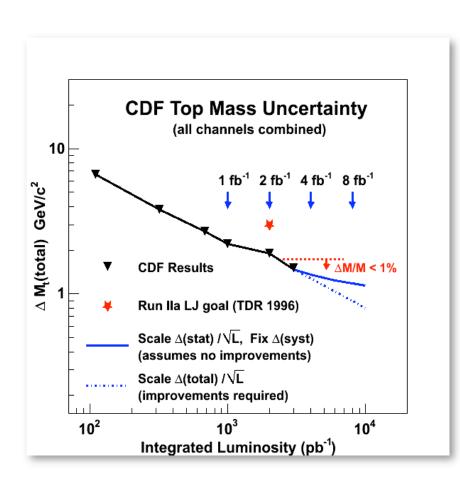
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m<sub>t</sub>=173.1 ± 0.6 (stat) ± 1.1 (syst) GeV
m<sub>t</sub>=173.1 ± 1.3 (stat+syst) GeV
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- Channels are consistent with each other
- Different methods to measure m_t
 produce consistent results
- Working on improving systematic uncertainties: are all effects covered, are they covered more than once?

Top Quark Mass: Future Precision

Using CDF as example



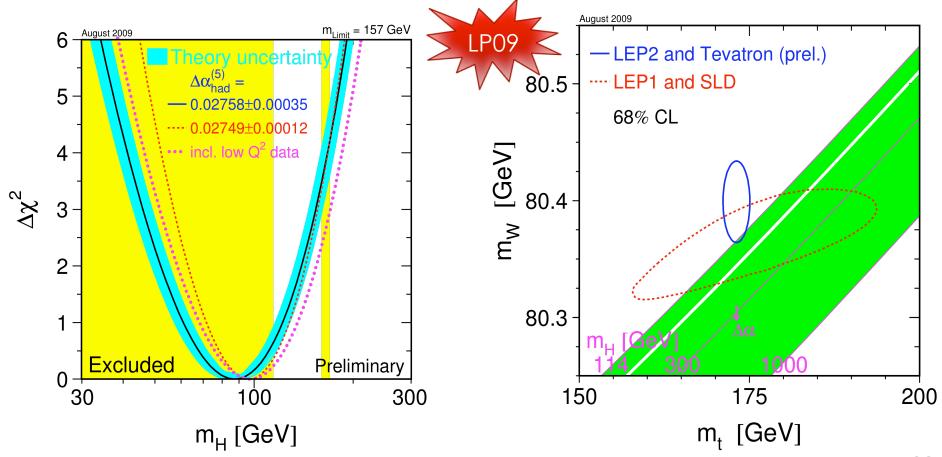


Systematic Source	m _{top} (GeV)	
Calibration	0.1	
MC generator	0.5	
Radiation	0.4	
Residual jet energy scale	0.5	
b-jet energy scale	0.4	
Lepton p _T	0.2	
Multiple hadron interactions	0.1	
PDFs	0.2	
Background	0.5	
Color reconnection	0.3	
Total	1.1	

Magnitude of systematic uncertainties are comparable. Single experiment top quark mass precision reaching 1 GeV

(In)direct Constraints on Higgs Mass

- World top quark mass and W boson mass included, from LEP/TEVEWK working group:
 - $m_H = 87 + 35 26 \text{ GeV}$
 - m_H < 157 GeV (95% CL)
 - m_H < 186 GeV (when LEP limit included)



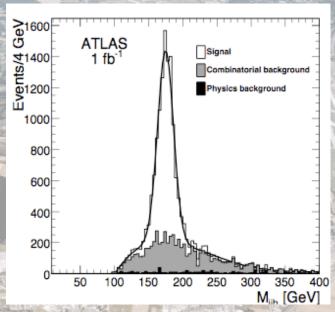
W Boson and Top Quark Mass at the LHC

W boson mass:

- Expectations using 15 pb⁻¹ and 14 TeV (ATLAS)
 - m_T^W ~ 60 (stat) +- 114 (syst) MeV
 - p_T ~ 110 (stat) +- 230 (syst) MeV
- Reaching Tevatron precision will require time

Top quark mass:

- Expect 2 GeV with 1fb-1 and 14 TeV
 - Constraining the light JES, main uncertainty will come from b-JES
- With enough statistics the LHC experiments should be able to reach
 1 GeV
 - Large datasets should provide
 good handles on systematic uncertainties



Top Quark Properties

Properties of the top quark

Searches in the top quark sample

Top Quark Properties

Citation: W.-M. Yao et al. (Particle Data Group), J. Phys. G 33, 1 (2006) (URL: http://pdg.lbl.gov)



$$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{1}{2}^+)$$

$$\mathsf{Charge} = \tfrac{2}{3} \ e \qquad \mathsf{Top} = +1$$



Mass $m=174.2\pm3.3$ GeV ^[b] (direct observation of top events) Mass $m=172.3^{+10.2}_{-7.6}$ GeV (Standard Model electroweak fit)

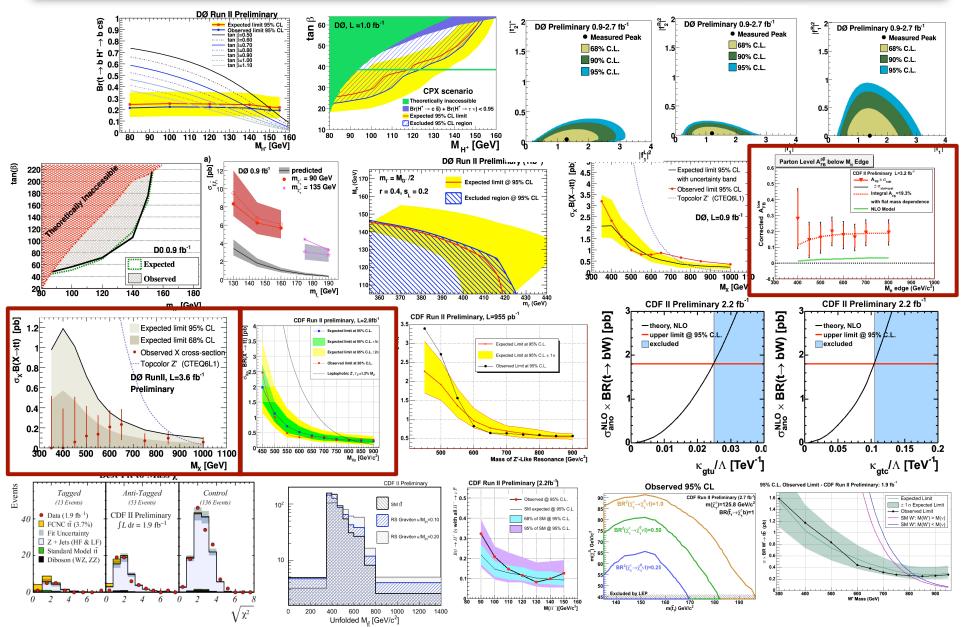
t DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	<i>p</i> (MeV/ <i>c</i>)			
Wq(q = b, s, d)			1-1			
W b			-1			
ℓu_ℓ anything	[c,d] (9.4±2.4) %		_			
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$\gamma q(q=u,c)$	[e] < 5.9 imes 1	10^{-3} 95%	1 <u>-</u> 1			
$\Delta T = 1$ weak neutral current ($T1$) modes						
Zq(q=u,c)	T1 [f] < 13.7 %	95%	$\frac{1}{2}$			

The best evidence so far it is the SM top quark comes from the agreement of σ_{tt} with theoretical expectations but a priori there is no guarantee that this is the SM top

Top Quark Properties Summary

Property	Run II Measurement	SM prediction	Luminosity (fb ⁻¹)
m _t	CDF: 172.6 ± 0.9(stat) ± 1.2(syst) GeV D0: 174.2 ± 0.9(stat) ± 1.5(syst) GeV		4.3 3.6
σ_{tibar} (@m _t =172.5 GeV) σ_{tibar} (@m _t =170 GeV)	CDF: 7.50 ± 0.31 (stat) ± 0.34 (syst) ± 0.15 (lumi) pb D0: $7.84^{+0.46}_{-0.45}$ (stat) $^{+0.66}_{-0.54}$ (syst) $^{+0.54}_{-0.46}$ (lumi) pb	7.4 ± 0.6 pb 8.06 +0.6 pb	4.5 1
$\sigma_{ ext{singletop}}$ (@m $_{ ext{t}}$ =170 GeV)	Tevatron: 2.76 +0.58 _{-0.47} (stat+syst)	2.86±0.8 pb	3.2-2.3
V _{tb}	Tevatron: 0.91 ± 0.08 (stat+syst)	1	3.2-2.3
σ (gg->ttbar)/ σ (qq->ttbar)	D0: 0.07+0.15-0.07(stat+sys)	0.18	1
m _t - m _{tbar}	D0: 3.8 ± 3.7 GeV	0	1
σ (tt \rightarrow ll)/ σ (tt \rightarrow l+jets)	D0: 0.86 +0.19 _{-0.17} (stat+syst)	1	1
σ (tt \rightarrow τ I)/ σ (tt \rightarrow II + I+jets)	D0: 0.97 +0.32 _{-0.29} (stat+syst)	1	1
$\sigma_{\text{tibar+jets}}$ (@m _t =172.5 GeV)	CDF: 1.6 ± 0.2 (stat) ± 0.5 (syst)	1.79+0.16 -0.31 pb	4.1
СТтор	CDF: 52.5 μ m @ 95%C.L.	$10^{-10} \mu \text{ m}$	0.3
Ttop	CDF: <13.1 GeV @ 95%C.L.	1.5 GeV	1
BR(t->Wb)/BR(t->Wq)	CDF: >0.61 @ 95% C.L. D0: 0.97 +0.09 _0.08 (stat+syst)	1	0.2 0.9
F ₀	CDF: 0.62 ± 0.11 D0: 0.490 ±0.106 (stat) ±0.085 (syst)	0.7	2 2.7
F ₊	CDF: -0.04 ± 0.05 D0: 0.110 ±0.059 (stat) ±0.052 (syst)	0.0	2 2.7
Charge	CDF: - 4/3 excluded with 87% C.L. D0: 4e/3 excluded at 92% C.L.	2/3	1.5 0.37
Spin correlations	CDF: $\kappa = 0.32 + 0.55 - 0.78$, $-0.46 < K < 0.87 @ 68%C.L.$ D0: $\kappa = -0.17 + 0.65 -0.53$ (stat + syst)	0.78 _{-0.022} +0.027	2.8 4.2
Charge asymmetry	CDF: 0.19 ± 0.07(stat) ± 0.02(syst) % D0: 12 ± 8 (stat) ± 1 (syst) %	0.05 +- 0.015	3.2 0.9

Searches in the Top Quark Sample



Top anti-Top Spin Correlations

- Only top quark decays before its spin flips
 - Information on of the spin carried by the decay products



SM predicts $\kappa = 0.78$

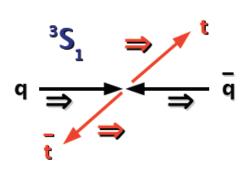
D0 (4 fb⁻¹):

Beam axis

CDF (2.8 fb⁻¹):

Off-diagonal axis

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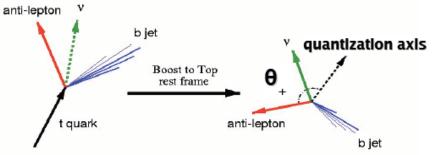
DØ Run II preliminary

-0.2

0.2

0.15

0.05



■ Measurement can give an upper limit on lifetime, lower limit on Vtb and also limits beyond SM physics $N(\uparrow \uparrow) + N(\downarrow \downarrow) - N(\uparrow \downarrow) - N(\uparrow \downarrow)$

First results from Run II (dilepton channel)

tt, Pythia SM spin corr.

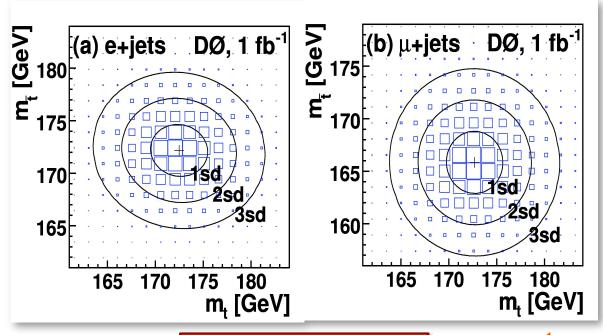
tt, Pythia no spin corr.

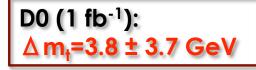
 $\cos(\theta_1)\cos(\theta_2)$

DØ Run II preliminary (4 fb⁻¹) $t\bar{t}$, SM spin corr. $t\bar{t}$, no spin corr. $Z/\gamma \rightarrow 11^+$ Diboson
Multijets $t\bar{t}$ $t\bar$

Search for CPT Violation

- Measure mass difference between t and tbar
- No violations ever observed, but this is the first CPT measurement in the quark sector
- Releasing constraint on $m_t = m_{tbar}$, measured in lepton + jets events using matrix element technique



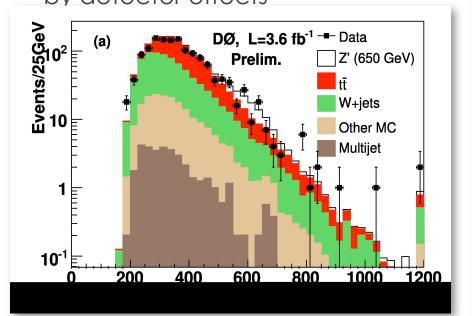


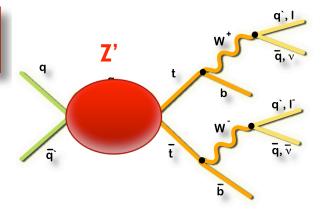


Consistent with SM expectations

Searches in tt Production

- No resonance production in the system is expected in the standard model
- Some models predict that bound states
 - Top color assisted technicolor predicts leptophobic Z' with strong 3rd generation coupling
- Experimental check: search for bumps in ttbar reconstructed mass spectrum
- Sufficiently narrow so that width is dominated by detector effects

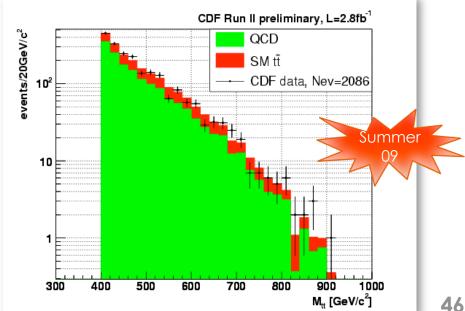




Z' with 1.2% width:

D0 (3.6 fb⁻¹): >820 GeV

CDF (2.8 fb⁻¹): >805 GeV



Searches in tt Production

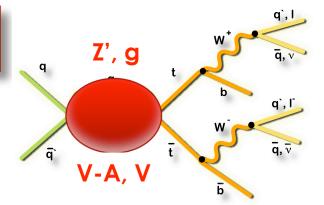
Forward-backward asymmetry

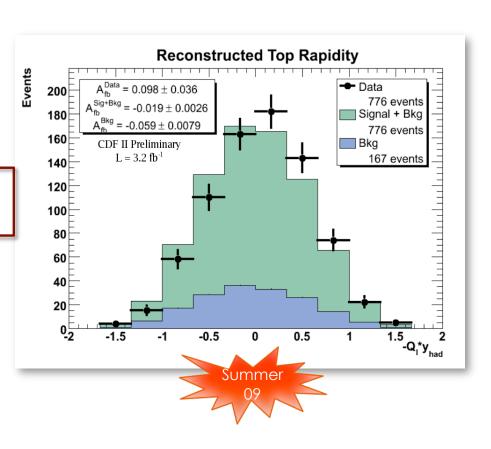
$$A_{fb} = \frac{F - B}{F + B}$$

- Parity violating new physics can appear as a large asymmetry
- Because the LHC is dominated by gg production this measurement will be far more difficult

CDF (3.2 fb⁻¹): A_{fb}=0.193 ± 0.065 (stat) ± 0.024 (syst) %

- SM predicts at NLO A_{fb} =0.05 ± 0.015 %
- Agrees with SM within 2 σ
- D0 result using 1 fb⁻¹: $A_{fb}^{det} = 0.12 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.01 \%$





Summary and Conclusions

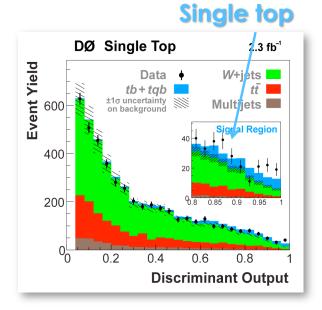
Summary and Conclusions

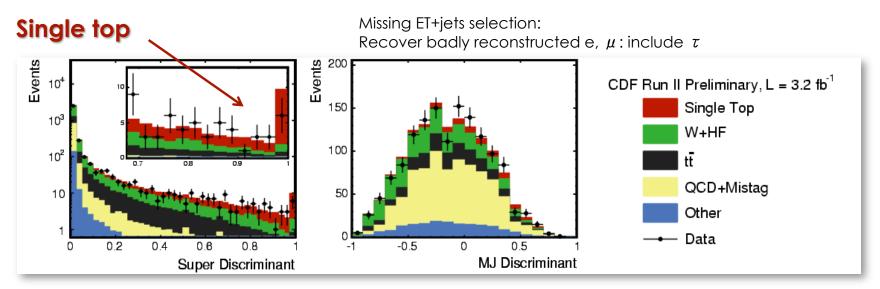
- Tevatron making precision measurements to help constrain SM
 - **Examples shown:** W charge asymmetry, $\sin^2 \theta_{W}$
- In the last year we have expanded our experimental reach on signatures
 - Confidence in our experimental tools while establishing challenging processes on our way to the Higgs boson (diboson, single top)
- Top quark cross section known to 6.5% (better than theory!)
- Top quark mass known to 0.7%
 - Tevatron should be able to reach 1 GeV
- W boson mass Tevatron combination better than LEP2 average!
 - Tevatron should be able to reach 20 GeV
- Top quark physics beginning to have sensitivity to unexpected in particle properties and in the data samples
- In the near future, LHC will rediscover top and use it as most likely the most important stepping stone to find new physics

Backup Slides

Single Top Quark: Results

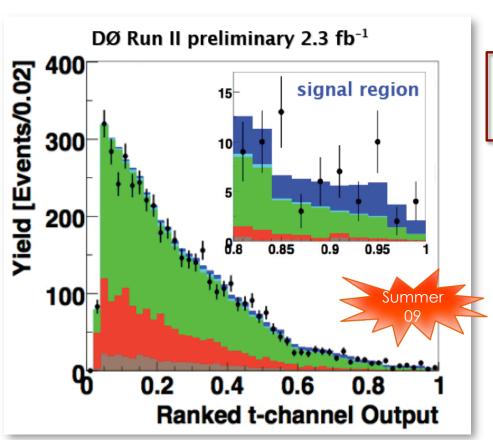
- Combine different multivariate analyses into one:
- D0 using 2.3 fb⁻¹
 - neural networks, matrix element, boosted decision trees
- CDF using 3.2 fb⁻¹
 - neural networks, matrix element, boosted decision trees, likelihood





Single Top Quark: t-channel

- Measure t-channel cross section by removing s/t channel constraint
 - Ratio could be changed due to additional quark generation, new heavy bosons, FCNC, anomalous quark couplings
- Measure t-channel and s-channel simultaneously



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D0 (2.3 fb<sup>-1</sup>):

σ<sub>t</sub>(t-channel)=3.14<sup>+0.94</sup><sub>-0.81</sub>(stat

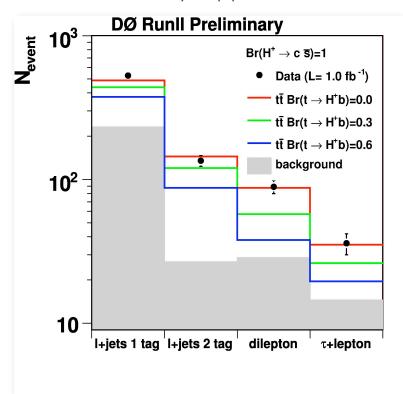
+syst)pb
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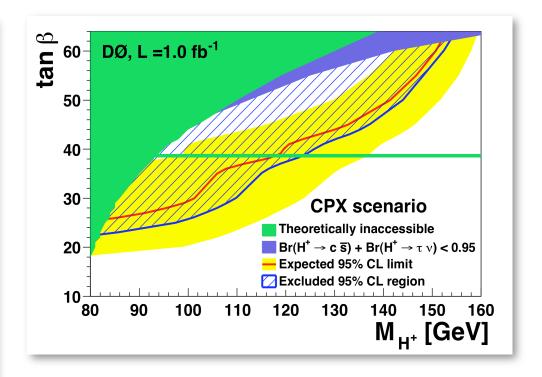
First evidence with 4.8 σ

Searches in tt Decay

- Search for charged Higgs using e+jets, μ +jets, ee, e μ , $\mu\mu$, τ e and τ μ final states from top quark pair production event

- Different scenarios of possible H⁺⁻ where
 - decays purely hadronically into c and s quarks
 - decays into a τ lepton and a τ neutrino
 - both decays appear



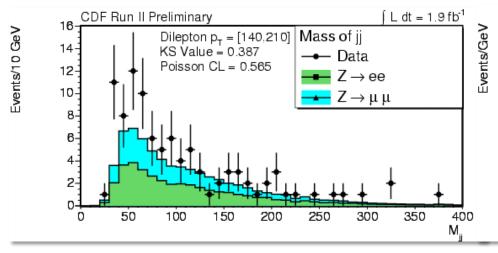


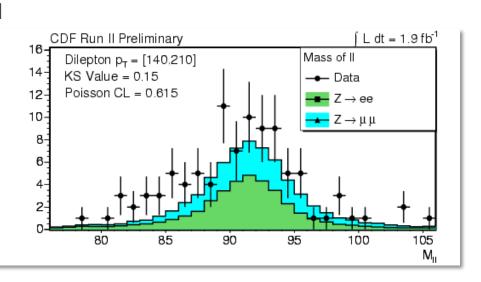
WZ

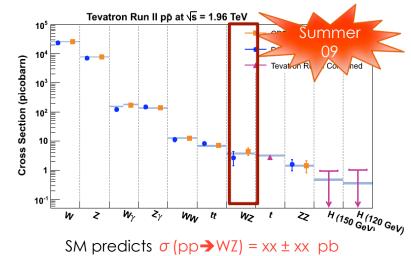
- WZ \rightarrow I ν II observed in 2007
 - TGC limits by D0 and CDF
- WZ \rightarrow I ν jj not yet observed at Tevatron
 - Could distinguish from WW via b-tagging
 - Higher cross section than low mass Higgs but softer (WH)



- CDF calculates TGC limits using the leptonic (M_{\parallel}) and hadronic (M_{\parallel}) invariant masses
- First charged aTGC limits in this channel







tt +jets Cross Section

- Important test of perturbative QCD
 - NLO effects play an important role in the calculation of the theoretical cross section
- Most top events at the LHC will be produced with additional jets
 - Background for many new physics signals
- Measurement using b-tagged events in the lepton plus jets channel
 - Data-driven background expectation
 - 2D likelihood simultaneously measure
 tt+jet and tt without jet cross sections.

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CDF ( 4.1 fb<sup>-1</sup>):

\sigma_{\text{tt+jets}}=1.6 ± 0.2(stat) ± 0.5(syst)

pb
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SM predicts $\sigma_{\text{tt+jets}}$ =1.79 +0.16 _{-0.31} pb

